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TO AMEMBASSY KABUL

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, AF, US

SUBJECT: DAOUD LETTER TO NIXON

FOR AMBASSADOR FROM NEA/PAB CONSTABLE

1. AMBASSADOR MALIKYAR HAS INFORMED US THAT MFA IS POUCHING LETTER FROM DAOUD TO NIXON, APPARENTLY A REPLY TO LETTER YOU PRESENTED. MALIKYAR HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED TO SEEK APPOINTMENT WITH PRESIDENT TO DELIVER LETTER PERSONALLY UPON RECEIPT. LETTER NOT REPEAT NOT YET ARRIVED AND CONTENTS UNKNOWN TO MALIKYAR. AT SAME TIME HIS REQUEST TO RETURN TO KABUL FOR CONSULTATIONS HAS BEEN APPROVED, ON THE CONDITION THAT HE DELIVER THE LETTER FIRST.

2. I KNOW YOU WILL APPRECIATE THE DIFFICULTIES WE WILL HAVE IN ARRANGING A PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT OR ONE WITH THE SECRETARY IN VIEW OF HIS PREOCCUPATION WITH OTHER MATTERS AND HIS PLANNED MOSCOW TRIP.

WITH FOREGOING IN MIND, YOU MAY WANT TO DO WHAT YOU CAN ON THAT END TO HEAD OFF ANY MISUNDERSTANDING IN GOA AND TO MITIGATE DISAPPOINTMENT, IF WAHID ABDULLAH OR OTHERS
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SHOULD DISCUSS LETTER WITH YOU. WE WILL OF COURSE DO ALL

WE CAN HERE TO ASSURE APPROPRIATE RESPONSE TO LETTER AS
QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE. KISSINGER

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